



## Immense Sale of Silk Petticoats

Formerly Up to \$10.00, Your Choice for Only \$1.95

Compare these petticoats with others elsewhere and be satisfied that the best values are always at Meyers.

The greatest silk petticoat event that Salem has ever seen. About two hundred splendid petticoats of Messaline, Jersey silk, Crepe De Chine, etc., in many ruffle styles—plain and two tone color effects in all the most popular colors, black and white.

This truly is a bargain offering and should appeal to all women. See the big window display.

Silk Petticoats that formerly sold up to \$10.00—

**Take Your Pick, \$1.95 Each**

Another Large Assortment at \$1.55—These are better petticoats than others show for more money. We recommend these—the only thing that's cheap is the price.

## THIS WEEK

### An Immense Price-Cutting Sale of Ready-Made Curtains

Of Lace, Net, Swiss and Scrim—Five Big Lots

LOT 1.	LOT 2.	LOT 3.	LOT 4.	LOT 5.
Curtains, former prices, \$4.00, \$5.00, \$6.00 per pair, special	Curtains, former prices, \$2.00, to \$3.50 per pair, special	Curtains, former prices, \$1.50 to \$2.00 per pair, special	Curtains, former prices, \$1.25 to \$1.35 per pair, special	Curtains, former prices, \$1.00 to \$1.25, per yard, special
<b>\$2.98</b>	<b>\$1.19</b>	<b>89c</b>	<b>68c</b>	<b>49c</b>

This event should appeal strongly to all housekeepers. You can afford curtains for every window at such surprising prices as these. They include many styles of lace and net curtains—plain and stenciled serims and Swiss curtains. Take your choice of the entire assortment. This week only at these sweeping reductions. Curtain department (second floor.)

Wear Hats that Become You



### In the Men's Section

A clearance of Men's Hats. Take your choice of a large assortment at One-Half Price.

### A Clearance of Men's Bath Robes

A large lot of desirable Lounge or Bath Robes in most popular colors, finished with cord at neck and waist. Special clearance price—your choice \$2.50

See window displays.

Fabrics Shrunk to Your Entire Satisfaction—Silk, woolen, cotton and linen fabrics shrunk on our New Improved Steam Shrinking Machine.

Goods shrunk every day except Saturday afternoon. 3 cents a yard for cotton goods, 5 cents a yard for wool goods, 25 cents for short lengths.

**Meyers**  
GOOD GOODS

## CHICAGO FLOUR ON WAR BASIS NOW

Eight Dollars a Barrel Is Asked and Price of Bread Goes Higher

Chicago, Feb. 3.—With flour having reached the "war price" yesterday of \$8.85 per barrel, and wheat having soared to \$1.65 per bushel, bakers throughout Chicago today raised bread prices to six and twelve cents per loaf. Many already had raised prices yesterday. The extra penny goes to the bakers who have raised their prices to grocers and retailers from four and eight cents to five and ten cents per loaf. Many bakers also raised rolls from ten cents to twelve cents per dozen today. By the end of the week it is expected, all bakers will follow suit. In the meantime Federal District Attorney Chase today delved into his probe of soaring prices with renewed vigor. He wanted to know how several millions of bushels of wheat were sold in the local pit yesterday when there were only about 205,000 bushels of wheat in Chicago deliverable on contract. When the market closed yesterday, "offers" formerly known as "calls" sold for \$1.84 and \$1.82.

### Wheat Price Drops.

Widely credited reports that opening of the Dardanelles might soon be expected, thus letting out Russia's wheat crops, was partly responsible for the bottom prices. These reports soon were followed by news that New Zealand's government had authorized importation of wheat. This sent prices skyward again.

At 10 o'clock May wheat went to \$1.64 and July wheat to \$1.14. May wheat closed today at \$1.59, per bushel, after having at one time skyrocketed to a new record price of \$1.56. The extreme fluctuation for May wheat during the day of volatility on the Board of Trade was 18 cents per bushel.

July wheat at one time touched \$1.41. At another time it went as low as \$1.17. It closed at \$1.38. No. 2 Red cash wheat at one time went to \$1.65.

Because of the sensational fluctuations which were evident within the first ten minutes of trading, bakers demanded unusually high margins for all business, which caused a good deal of unloading among smaller holders.

### Indictments in Prospect.

Washington, Feb. 3.—Some indictments were in prospect today in connection with the federal investigation of wheat and flour prices. Attorney General Gregory would not admit that his department is entirely ready to act, but intimated that action may be taken soon.

He suggested that the department evidence does not warrant indictments at the great grain trading centers, but hinted that some of the practices outside the big cities might soon come in for them.

Meanwhile, he announced, his department will prosecute its inquiry vigorously.

### SPECIAL RATE AUTHORIZED.

Washington, Feb. 3.—Railroads hauling fruits and vegetables from San Francisco, San Jose, Stockton, Sacramento, Marysville and Santa Barbara to Great Falls, Mont., via Portland, Ore., were authorized by the interstate commerce commission today to establish special freight rates.

Now that the European war has put a stop to globe trotting high society is devoting its time to fox trotting.

## Special Tomorrow

3 cans Country Club Milk for 20c
25c Breakfast Bacon, pound 22c
4 Pounds Carve Cut Macaroni for 25c
Creamery Butter, pound 35c

## DAMON & SON

855 N. Com'l St. Phone 68

## Weather Condition Bad On Big Lakes

Lansing, Mich., Feb. 3.—The ferry service on Lake Michigan today is at a standstill. For the second time in twenty years weather conditions have been unable to smash their way through the huge ice blockade that extends from Manitowish nearly to Chicago about ten miles off shore. For thirty-six hours no boat has arrived or departed from this harbor. Eighteen steamers, representing seven states, were today frozen in the great ice jacks. They are believed to be in no immediate danger.

It's surprising how many things you can find to criticize and how very few to commend.

## When in SALEM, OREGON, stop at BLIGH HOTEL

Strictly Modern  
Free and Private Baths  
Rates 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50 PER DAY  
The only hotel in the business district.  
Nearest to all Depots, Theatres and Capitol Buildings.  
A Home Away from Home.  
T. G. BLIGH, Prop.  
Both Phones Free Auto Bus.

## TAXI

PHONE 700  
Office Bligh Hotel  
SALEM TAXICAB CO.

## MEE LEE

Succesor to Loui On. Makes biggest and best Chinese food. Noodles, 10c, Rice & Pork, 10c, Pork, 10c, near High, opposite Garage.

## Special—New Korean City Restaurant

Spanish Chicken, Hot Tamales, Chili Con Carne, Chop Suey Noodles  
420 Ferry Street

## All Around Town

Dr. Mendelsohn, specialist in fitting glasses correctly, 6, S. Bank Bldg.

The counting of the votes in the Sletland party contest will not be finished until some time tomorrow. Several men have been working on the job for two days now in the Commercial club rooms.

The annual audit of the books of the Salem Y. M. C. A. was begun yesterday by Robert Paulus, who will check over the accounts of the association for the last three years at this time.

I. C. B., 211-12 Hubbard building.

The river is still rising, the stage this morning being 8.3 feet above low water mark. The rainfall for the past 24 hours was .34 inches.

Gilson's barber shop moved to 457 State, next to High theater.

Francois, the 10-year-old daughter of

## WEXFORD TODAY AND THURSDAY

OTIS TURNER

Presents "THE FLASH"

A modern Drama in Two Parts with Herbert Bavinson in the title role.

"THE RICE INDUSTRY OF THE U. S."

An educational number.

"SUCH A MISTAKE"

Another Crystal Comedy.

THURSDAY

Added Attraction

WOODMAN DAY

"THE MAN THAT CAME BACK"

An interesting drama taken around and showing the great "Modern Woodman" sanitarium at Colorado Springs. Every Woodman should see this.

5 Reels—5 Cents

Frank Ward, and a very narrow escape yesterday evening at about 4 o'clock when in crossing the street in front of the Portland Light & Power company she was run over by a buggy. The little girl was on roller skates and in crossing the street quickly did not notice the approach of the buggy. She was not seriously injured, and today is up and around the house, although she received several severe bruises and a badly sprained left arm.

The Capital Lumber Co., 349 South Twelfth. Building material of all kinds.

Though the books of the county have been open for a month not 100 hunters' licenses have been granted this year. The sum of \$137 has been taken at the office of the county clerk, however, on 97 hunters' licenses, 22 anglers' licenses and 19 combination hunting and fishing licenses. A number of licenses have been sold in the outlying districts, however, as 125 hunters' licenses have been sent out and 130 anglers' licenses have been turned over to sporting goods houses in this city and others of the county.

Dr. C. B. O'Neill, optometrist-optician, 11 Bush Bank Bldg.

All Modern Woodmen and their friends should see "The Man Who Came Back" at the Wexford tomorrow matinee and night. A struggle for life at the Colorado Springs sanitarium.

Levels are being taken over the first eight miles of the new road from Salem to Stayton today and by Saturday all the cross sections will also be taken. Next week grading will start on the eight miles between Salem and the Battle Creek school house, and 200 men will be on the job, according to a statement of Mike Lynott today. There are 10 cuts between here and the Battle Creek school house.

Dollar watches at Stone's drug store.

Modern Woodmen, see the moving pictures of the Colorado Springs tuberculosis sanitarium. Wexford theatre, tomorrow, matinee and night. Special attraction. Regular price, 5c.

The six teams of the Commercial basketball league of this city will clash this evening at the Y. M. C. A. gym.

nasium for the sixth series of games of the present schedule. The first contest, that between the Capital National Bank and the Salem Mills store, promises to be the feature of the evening, as both teams are out to win. The second game of the evening will be between the Capital Business college and the Roth Grocery Co., and the last game is between the Watt Shippers, the league leaders and the Hammer Bros. aggregation.

Food is high. Horses are costly. Save both by sheltering your team under these stay-out blankets that Shaffer sells at 126 South Commercial.

"Build now." This is not exactly a new slogan, but it is an idea being suggested to many people who are thinking of building and who are postponing it for no special reason. The "build now" suggestion now being endorsed by the Commercial club has been of it sound business sense, as material is now cheaper by 10 or 15 per cent than it will be later, and at present it is easier to obtain the labor.

The world, the weather—even business—looks good to the man that dines at The Elk Cafe. Try it. 333 State.

That the stock of the Kinne Mercantile company will be taken over by Rostein & Greenbaum, was the announcement made this morning by O. E. Kinne, for the past year and a half proprietor of the establishment. Mr. Kinne announced Saturday that he would close out the stock, but while he was making arrangements for this the new owners jumped in and took the stock off his hands. Rostein & Greenbaum are well known commercially in Albany, having purchased the stock of Chambers & McCune, which they closed out before Christmas. They will close out the Kinne stock from its present location.

At The Elk, 333 State.

The special feature of the membership campaign, Salem Lodge 3246 Modern Woodmen of America will appear tomorrow afternoon and night at the Wexford theatre in the show of a moving picture film entitled "The Man Who Came Back" and his struggle for life and health in the war against tuberculosis. This picture shows the sanitarium conducted by the grand lodge at Colorado Springs, Colorado, as it through the scenes portrayed, runs a human interest story. The membership campaign is progressing well according to R. A. Turner, clerk of the local lodge and already over a dozen new members have been added.

Wexford tomorrow matinee and night. "The Man Who Came Back." A struggle for life in the war on tuberculosis.



If your eyes depend on glasses, we make the glasses your eyes can depend on.

Miss A. McCulloch  
OPTOMETRIST

208-209 Hubbard Bldg.

Phone 109

The SHUR-ON

## Tonight GLOBE Tomorrow

"The Dancer and the King"

Featuring Cecil Spooner

5 PARTS

PART II

"Fates and Flora Four Flush"

THE \$10,000,000.00

Vitaphone Mystery

COMING

Friday and Saturday—Broadway Star Feature—"TWO WOMEN"

A roaring Salem Comedy—"THE WAITRESS AND THE BOOKS"

SUNDAY

William Farnum in "SAMPTON"

## NEW TODAY

One cent per word each insertion. Copy for advertisements under this heading should be in by 2 p. m.

PHONE MAIN 81.

TONIGHT—Hot, Fred's.

FIR WOOD #1, maple, \$1.50. Phone 2239.

MACK. Who? The chimney sweep, or course. Phone 19.

WANTED—Second hand drum and trap. Phone 79-F-11.

WANTED—General housework by experienced girl. Phone 64-F-15.

FOR RENT—Small dwelling in North Salem. Phone (Arty F. Martin, 419.

FOR SALE—Driving horse, single or double, 1150 lbs., 8 years. W. K. Shih, Fairgrounds.

WANTED TO RENT—A light driving team and buggy for 60 days. Call 1862 M.

WANTED—Position as housekeeper in small family. Address K. M., care Journal.

FOR SALE—Furniture of 5-room house, part or all; good Buck range, 1411 North Cottage.

FOR RENT—New four-room house, \$6 per month. Phone 597-W, or call at 411 North Church street.

WANTED—By young man. A home and room in private family; home privileges desired. F. M., 1119 State.

ADK woman wants woman for companion and assist in light housework; small wages. Phone 2208 B.

FOR RENT—Six-room house, one block business district, 500 North Commercial. Call at home or phone 545.

THROATED WHITE ROCK eggs for hatching. Also cockerels for sale. H. A. Hanson, 2340 Laurel avenue. Phone 2067 J.

WANTED—By young woman, place to work for board and room while attending school. Phone 2171-M.

ONE thousand white bull pup, 14 months old, weight between 13 and 20 lbs. Will sell cheap. Center Street East Bldg.

FOR RENT—Large room in first class order, brand new furniture and stove. Apply W. C. T. C. matron. Phone 285.

WE will allow you the highest price for your used furniture in exchange for new. Call Bros, home furnishes. Phone 593.

HERE'S your chance to get a blooded pair of White Plymouth Rock hatching birds at state fair. Phone 2191-M.

FOR SALE—New five-room plastered house and lot and \$250 worth of furniture for \$999, clear title. Mr. L. J. Mann, West Salem, Ore. (1/2 block northwest of school house.)

TO EXCHANGE—Horses for work cutting; allow good price for cutting. Or, wood for sale on ground, \$2.50; cash, \$4.50. See owner 1 1/2 miles south of Pringle school, or address Thos. N. Alenby, Rt. 1, Turner, Ore.

FOR SALE—67 1/2 acres, 5 1/2 miles from Gardfield, Wash.; all No. 1 black land, 50 in clover and timothy. All new buildings. Price \$8000, part cash. Inquire 652 Mill street, Salem, Ore.

SPECIAL—Join our club service; \$2 per month entitles you to use suit or overcoat, sponge and pressed once a week. We call and deliver to any part of the city. Phone 1744. City Steam & Dry Cleaning Works, 1165 State St.

FOR SALE—Second hand Brussels carpet, 10x12; couple of stoves; two small rocking chairs. Phone 1463-B.

HE CAME BACK—The Northwest Reg representative is here. If you have any old carpets you wish woven into fluffy rugs notify S. A. Dehner, Baker House, 2180-W.

PHOTOGRAPHY—Fast terms, for forming a lasting profession in your spare time. Reluctant course, good pay for fully-recognition learning; retouching; gentlemen work at home or in studio. If interested, call at Elmer's Art Studio, 293 North Commercial.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Ten acres, 6 year old walnut orchard coming in light bearing; nine miles northwest of Salem. If taken at once will sell for \$225 per acre. Would take good rock, dress property up to \$1000 in part payment. Write owner at once. Address G. R. J. L. R. 9, Box 51-A, Salem, or phone 30-F-24.

PERSONAL—Lately young widow, 23, weight 125, wears nice comfortable black, 320 acres finest wheat land, near Pacific coast, worth \$20,000; income \$2000 yearly; also large bank account; good disposition; easy to get along with; will marry poor man if bright, honorable, ambitious and capable of managing property successfully. More particulars for any man answering quick, enclosing some postage. Address "Sincere," B-435 Farmington, Mo. Dak. General deliveries not answered. This notice is genuine.

MUSICAL SALEM—Piano tuning or "Tune." The instrument is "Tuned" or it is out of tune. When "Tuned" it possesses that wonderful facility of modulation, permitting the artist to roam at will through the whole field of tonalities. I teach this kind of music service to Salem musicians. H. E. Koch, Phone 2354-J.

Coming--"BROWN OF HARVARD." See Page Three, Today's Journal